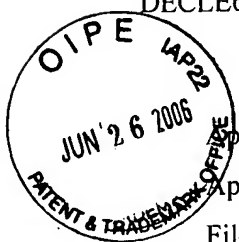


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In response to the Notification of Insufficient Fees issued by the Office on June 13, 2006, we offer the following explanation.

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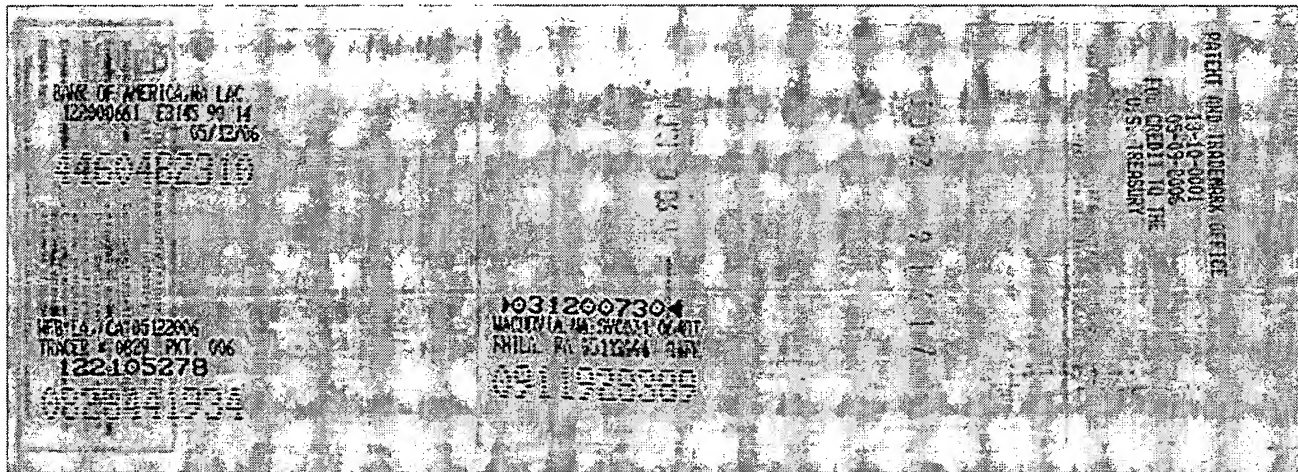
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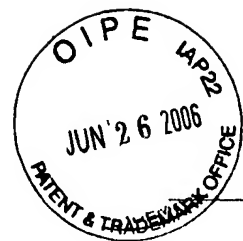
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Dear Sir:

At the time the above-identified application was filed, a Declaration was not submitted. As of this date, we have not received a Notice to File Missing Parts. However, in anticipation of receiving this communication, we are forwarding to you the following documents:

- (X) The signed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- (X) A check for \$65 to cover the surcharge for a small entity
- (X) Please charge our Deposit Account No. 11-1410 for any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit our account for any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

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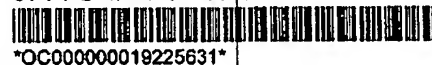
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/17/2006
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Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

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